



# Unit 22 Seward Peninsula and Southern Norton Sound

**Unit 22:** the Seward Peninsula and adjacent mainland drained by all streams flowing into Norton Sound: Unit 22 consists of Bering Sea, Norton Sound, Bering Strait, Chukchi Sea, and Kotzebue Sound drainages from, but excluding, the Pastolik River drainage in southern Norton Sound to, but not including, the Goodhope River drainage in southern Kotzebue Sound and all adjacent islands in the Bering Sea between the mouths of the Goodhope and Pastolik rivers:

**Unit 22A:** Norton Sound drainages from, but excluding, the Pastolik River drainage to, and including, the Ungalik River drainage, and Stuart and Besboro islands;

**Unit 22B:** Norton Sound drainages from, but excluding, the Ungalik River drainage to, and including, the Topkok Creek drainage;

**Unit 22C:** Norton Sound and Bering Sea drainages from, but excluding, the Topkok Creek drainage to, and including, the Tisuk River drainage, and King and Sledge islands;

**Unit 22D:** that portion of Unit 22 draining into the Bering Sea north of, but not including, the Tisuk River to, and including, Cape York, and St. Lawrence Island;

**Unit 22E:** Bering Sea, Bering Strait, Chukchi Sea, and Kotzebue Sound drainages from Cape York to, but excluding, the Goodhope River drainage, and including Little Diomed Island and Fairway Rock. **No state restricted areas in Unit 22.**

species / bag limits	Hunts are open to both residents and nonresidents unless noted.	permit/ticket required*	open season
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## Black Bear • See pages 24-27 for bear information and salvage requirements.

Unit 22: **Three bears**.....no closed season

## Brown/Grizzly Bear

- See pages 24-27 for additional bear hunting information.
- Nonresident hunters must be accompanied by a guide.
- No resident tag required.
- Evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the hide.

**Unit 22A,** that portion south of and including the Golsovia River drainage:

**Residents: NEW! Two bears** every regulatory year..... Aug 1-May 31

**Nonresidents: One bear** every regulatory year..... Aug 1-May 31

**Remainder of Unit 22A: Residents: Two bears** every regulatory year..... Aug 1-June 15

**Nonresidents: One bear** every regulatory year..... Aug 1-June 15

**Unit 22B: Residents: One bear** every regulatory year..... Aug 1-May 31

**Nonresidents: One bear** every regulatory year by permit..... DB685..... Aug 1-May 31

**Unit 22C: Residents: One bear** every four regulatory years..... Aug 1-Oct 31

**OR One bear** every four regulatory years..... May 10-May 25

**Nonresidents: One bear** every four regulatory years by permit..... DB685..... Aug 1-Oct 31

**OR One bear** every four regulatory years by permit..... DB685..... May 10-May 25

**Units 22D and 22E: Residents: One bear** every regulatory year..... Aug 1-May 31

**Nonresidents: One bear** every regulatory year by permit..... DB690..... Aug 1-May 31

*In addition the following subsistence regulations apply in Unit 22. (See requirements on page 25):*

**Unit 22A: Residents ONLY: Two bears** every regulatory year by permit available in Nome and Unit 22 license vendors beginning July 1..... RB699..... Aug 1-May 31

**Units 22B, 22D, 22E: Residents ONLY: One bear** every regulatory year by permit available in Nome and Unit 22 license vendors beginning July 1..... RB699..... Aug 1-May 31

**Unit 22C: Residents: One bear** every regulatory year by permit available in Nome and Unit 22 license vendors beginning July 1..... RB699..... Aug 1-Oct 31

**OR One bear** every regulatory year by permit..... RB699..... May 10-May 25

## Caribou

- In areas indicated by a ⚠ Federal restrictions exist. See page 8.
- In bag limit "caribou" means an animal of either sex; "bull" means a male caribou.
- In all hunts limited to one sex, evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the meat.
- Same Day Airborne in effect after Jan. 1, see page 16.

**Unit 22A and Remainder of 22B:**

**Residents\*: Five caribou per day: Bulls**..... Harvest..... no closed season

**Cows**..... Harvest..... July 1-May 15

**Nonresidents: Five caribou total: Bulls**..... Harvest..... no closed season

**Cows**..... Harvest..... July 1-May 15

**Unit 22B,** that portion west of Golovin Bay, west of a line along the west bank of the Fish and Niukluk Rivers, and excluding the Libby River drainage:

**Residents\*: Five caribou per day**..... Harvest..... Oct 1-April 30

**Nonresidents: Five caribou total**..... Harvest..... Oct 1-April 30

**Unit 22C: Residents\*: Five caribou per day**..... Harvest..... may be announced

**Nonresidents: Five caribou total**..... Harvest..... may be announced

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<b>Caribou</b> <i>continued</i>			
Unit 22D, that portion in the Pilgrim River drainage:			
Residents*: <b>Five caribou per day</b> .....	Harvest .....		Oct 1-April 30
Nonresidents: <b>Five caribou total</b> .....	Harvest .....		Oct 1-April 30
Unit 22D, that portion in the Kougarok, Kuzitrin, American, Agiapuk River drainages:			
Residents*: <b>Five caribou per day: Bulls</b> .....	Harvest .....		no closed season
..... <b>Cows</b> .....	Harvest .....		July 1-May 15
Nonresidents: <b>Five caribou total: Bulls</b> .....	Harvest .....		no closed season
..... <b>Cows</b> .....	Harvest .....		July 1-May 15
Remainder of Unit 22D: Residents*: <b>Five caribou per day</b> .....	Harvest .....		may be announced
Nonresidents: <b>Five caribou total</b> .....	Harvest .....		may be announced
★ Unit 22E, that portion east of and including the Sanaguich River drainage:			
Residents*: <b>Five caribou per day: Bulls</b> .....	Harvest .....		no closed season
..... <b>Cows</b> .....	Harvest .....		July 1-May 15
Nonresidents: <b>Five caribou total: Bulls</b> .....	Harvest .....		no closed season
..... <b>Cows</b> .....	Harvest .....		July 1-May 15
★ Remainder of Unit 22E: Residents*: <b>Five caribou per day</b> .....	Harvest .....		may be announced
Nonresidents: <b>Five caribou total</b> .....	Harvest .....		may be announced
*If you live north of the Yukon River and hunt caribou in that area, you do not need caribou harvest tickets/reports but you must register with ADF&G or an authorized representative within the area.			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In areas indicated by a ★ Federal restrictions exist. See page 8.</li> <li>• 50-inch antlers and brow tines defined on pages 30-31.</li> <li>• In bag limit, "moose" means an animal of either sex; "bull" means a male moose.</li> <li>• In all hunts limited to one sex, evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the meat.</li> </ul>			
<b>Moose</b>			
★ Unit 22A, that portion north of and including the Tagoomenik and Shaktoolik River drainages:			
Residents: <b>One bull</b> .....	Harvest .....		Aug 1-Sept 30
Nonresidents: <b>One bull</b> with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 4 or more brow tines on at least one side. ....	Harvest .....		Sept 1-Sept 14
★ NEW! Unit 22A, that portion in the Unalakleet River drainage and all drainages flowing into Norton Sound north of the Golsovia River drainage and south of the Tagoomenik and Shaktoolik river drainages .....			no open season
★ Remainder of Unit 22A: Residents: <b>One bull</b> .....	Harvest .....		Aug 1-Sept 30
OR <b>One antlered bull</b> .....	Harvest .....		Jan 1-Jan 31
Nonresidents: <b>One bull</b> with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 4 or more brow tines on at least one side. ....	Harvest .....		Sept 1-Sept 30
Unit 22B East, that portion east of the Darby Mountains, including the drainages of the Kwiniuk, Tubutulik, Koyuk, and Inglutalik rivers: Residents: <b>One bull</b> .....	Harvest .....		Aug 1-Sept 30
OR <b>One antlered bull</b> .....	Harvest .....		Nov 1-Dec 31
Nonresidents: <b>One bull</b> with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 4 or more brow tines on at least one side by permit .....	DM845 .....		Nov 1-Dec 31
★ Remainder of Unit 22B: Residents ONLY: <b>One bull</b> by permit available online at <a href="http://hunt.alaska.gov">hunt.alaska.gov</a> or in person in Nome or at license vendors in Teller, White Mountain, and Golovin beginning Aug 1. Season closed by emergency order when 23 bulls are taken .....	RM840 .....		Sept 1-Sept 14
OR <b>One antlered bull</b> by permit available in person at ADF&G in Nome or at license vendors in White Mountain and Golovin beginning Dec 1 .....	RM849 .....		Jan 1-Jan 31
Unit 22C: Residents: <b>One bull</b> by permit available online at <a href="http://hunt.alaska.gov">hunt.alaska.gov</a> or in person at ADF&G in Nome or at license vendors in Teller, White Mountain, and Golovin beginning Aug 1 at 9 a.m. Season closed by emergency order when 40 bulls taken .....	RM840 .....		Sept 1-Sept 14
OR <b>One antlerless moose</b> by permit up to 5 permits available in Nome on July 14 at 9 a.m. ....	RM850 .....		Sept 15-Sept 30
OR by permit; up to 15 permits available in person in Nome on July 14 at 9 a.m.: RM850 and RM852 permits issued first-come first-served, one permit per household .....	RM852 .....		Sept 15-Sept 30
Nonresidents: <b>One bull</b> with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 4 or more brow tines on at least one side by permit available online at <a href="http://hunt.alaska.gov">hunt.alaska.gov</a> or in person in Nome beginning Aug 1 .....	RM840 .....		Sept 1-Sept 14
★ Unit 22D, that portion within the Kougarok, Kuzitrin, and Pilgrim River drainages:			
Residents ONLY: <b>One bull</b> by permit available online at <a href="http://hunt.alaska.gov">hunt.alaska.gov</a> or in person at ADF&G in Nome or at license vendors in Teller, White Mountain, and Golovin beginning Aug 1. Harvest quota to be announced. Season will be closed by emergency order when quota is reached.....	RM840 .....		Sept 1-Sept 14

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<b>Moose</b> <i>continued</i>			
OR One antlered bull, season may be announced Jan 1-Jan 31 by permit available in person at ADF&G in Nome or at license vendors in Teller, White Mountain, and Golovin beginning Dec 1 .....		RM849 .....	may be announced
★ Unit 22D, Southwest, that portion west of the Tisuk River drainage, west of the west bank of the unnamed creek originating at the unit boundary opposite the headwaters of McAdam's Creek to its confluence with Canyon Creek, and west of the west bank of Canyon Creek to its confluence with Tuksuk Channel: Residents ONLY: One bull by permit available online at <a href="http://hunt.alaska.gov">hunt.alaska.gov</a> or in person at ADF&G in Nome or at license vendors in Teller, White Mountain and Golovin beginning Aug 1. Season closed by emergency order when 8 bulls are taken. ....		RM840 .....	Sept 1-Sept 14
OR One antlered bull, season may be announced Jan 1-Jan 31 by permit, available at ADF&G in Nome or at license vendors in Teller, White Mountain, and Golovin beginning Dec 1 .....		RM849 .....	may be announced
★ Remainder of Unit 22D: Residents: One bull .....		Harvest .....	Aug 10-Sept 14
OR One bull .....		Harvest .....	Oct 1-Nov 30
OR One moose, however no person may take a calf or a cow accompanied by a calf .....		Harvest .....	Dec 1-Dec 31
OR One antlered bull .....		Harvest .....	Jan 1-Jan 31
Nonresidents: One bull with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 4 or more brow tines on at least one side by permit; permits available in person at Nome ADF&G beginning Aug. 1, 9 a.m. Season will be closed by emergency order when 10 bulls are taken. Harvest must be reported within three days of kill. ....		RM842 .....	Sept 1-Sept 14
Unit 22E: Residents ONLY: One bull .....		Harvest .....	Aug 1-Dec 31
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In areas indicated by a ★ Federal restrictions exist see page 8.</li> <li>• Aircraft may NOT be used to transport muskox hunters, muskox, or muskox hunting gear in Tier II hunts and hunt RX104.</li> <li>• In all hunts limited to one sex, evidence of sex must remain attached naturally to the meat.</li> <li>• Tag fee waived for Tier I &amp; Tier II hunting. Tier I and Tier II muskox tag required.</li> </ul>			
<b>Muskox</b>			
Unit 22A: .....			no open season
★ Unit 22B, within the Fox River drainage upstream of the Fox River bridge, and within one mile of the Fox River bridge, and within one mile of the Council Road east of the Fox River bridge: Residents: One bull by permit .....		TX105 .....	Nov 1-Mar 15
Remainder of Unit 22B: Residents: One bull by permit .....		TX105 .....	Aug 1-Mar 15
NEW! Unit 22C, excluding the eastern portion of the Penny River drainage (east of the east bank), the Snake River drainage, the portion of the Nome River drainage downstream from and including Hobson Creek drainage and Rocky Mountain Creek drainage, and the western portion of the Flambeau River drainage (west of the west bank) extending along Safety Sound to Safety Bridge, and all additional drainages flowing to Norton Sound between Safety Bridge and the mouth of Penny River: Residents ONLY: One bull by permit .....		TX099 .....	Jan 1-Mar 15
Remainder of Unit 22C: .....			no open season
Unit 22D Southwest, west of the Tisuk River drainage, west of the west bank of the unnamed creek originating at the unit boundary opposite the headwaters of McAdam's Creek to its confluence with Canyon Creek, and west of the west bank of Canyon Creek to its confluence with Tuksuk Channel: Residents: One bull by permit .....		TX103 .....	Sept 1-Mar 15
OR One muskox by permit .....		TX103 .....	Jan 1-Mar 15
★ Unit 22D, the Pilgrim River drainage: Residents: One bull by permit .....		TX102 .....	Nov 1-Mar 15
OR One muskox by permit .....		TX102 .....	Jan 1-Mar 15
★ Remainder of Unit 22D: Residents: One bull by permit .....		TX102 .....	Aug 1-Mar 15
OR One muskox by permit .....		TX102 .....	Jan 1-Mar 15
NEW! Unit 22E: Residents: One bull by permit available in person in Shishmaref and Wales beginning July 24. Season will be closed by emergency order when quota is reached. Trophy destruction required if skull removed from Unit 22. Use of aircraft prohibited. ....		RX104 .....	Aug 1-Mar 15
OR NEW! One muskox by permit available in person in Shishmaref and Wales beginning July 24. Season will be closed by emergency order when quota is reached. Trophy destruction required if skull removed from Unit 22. Use of aircraft prohibited. ....		RX104 .....	Jan 1-Mar 15
OR One bull 4 years old or older by permit .....		DX097 .....	Aug 1-Mar 15
Nonresidents: One bull 4 years old or older by permit .....		DX097 .....	Aug 1-Mar 15

## Wolf • Hides must be sealed within 30 days of kill.

Unit 22: Five wolves .....

## Wolverine • Hides must be sealed within 30 days of kill.

Unit 22: One wolverine .....

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